

The HORNET

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The first day of school: new faces, happy greetings, and plans-in-the-making for that first day of "hookie." One finds activities galore and a million and one things to do, the least appreciated of which is homework. Football games through the months of autumn, excitement over Homecoming—then anticipation of the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays. Basketball has begun, and games are regular semi-weekly events. The Sweetheart Dance, baseball and track training, and field trips mark the approach of Spring. Plays and Operettas in the making, last minute Prom planning and practice of graduation music are reminders that commencement is fast approaching.

To make the summary of a happy year complete, the Senior Class wishes to express its appreciation of **Mrs. Kathleen White** by dedicating this Yearbook to her for her long years of personal devotion to her work and to her pupils.



Everyone knows . . .



DOUGLAS V. EVANS

Principal Comments:

The nine o'clock daily session with a hookie-player—the endless trips home with those sick children—the ready ear given to all complaints, all "may I's," all excuses—the million and one business transactions which must be taken care of—the meetings at every turn which must be attended—are the daily problems of our principal.

and recognizes



C. C. BEAM
Vocational Agriculture
F. F. A. Club



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Honor Society, Library Club



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Science Club



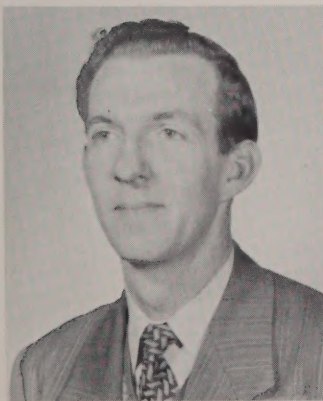
WILLIAM M. CLOE
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Geometry, Solid Geometry,
Trigonometry, Civics
JV Coach, Basketball



MRS. BETTY COOGAN
Home Economics
F. H. A. Club



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Mathematics, Shorthand, Office
Practice



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8th Grade, Latin I and II
Yearbook Sponsor



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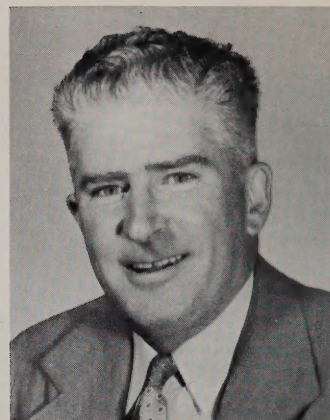
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Science, Biology



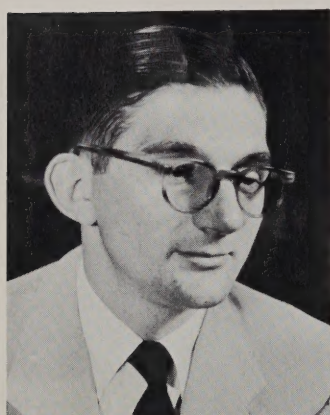
MISS EMMA V. ELLMORE
Guidance Director
Student Council Association



J. L. GRIFFITTS
Physical Education
Letter Club, Pep Club



J. B. HANES
General Mathematics, Algebra I
and II, Plane Geometry
Line Coach, Football, Baseball
Coach



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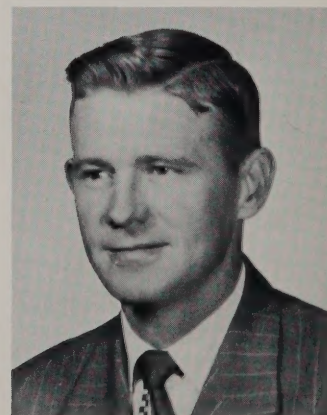
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Spanish Club, Broadcast Sponsor



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Shop
Safety Patrols



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8th Grade Civics
Basketball Coach



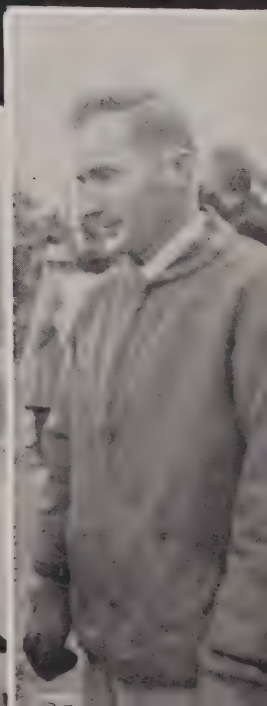
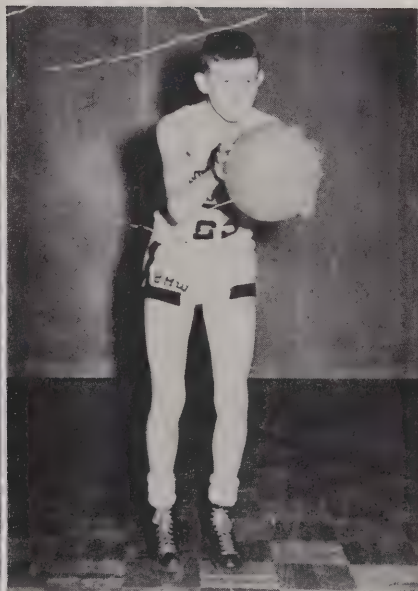
JAMES W. SCHRODT
Instrumental Music



MRS. HELEN TRUCKSESS
Physical Education, Music
Glee Club, Basketball Coach



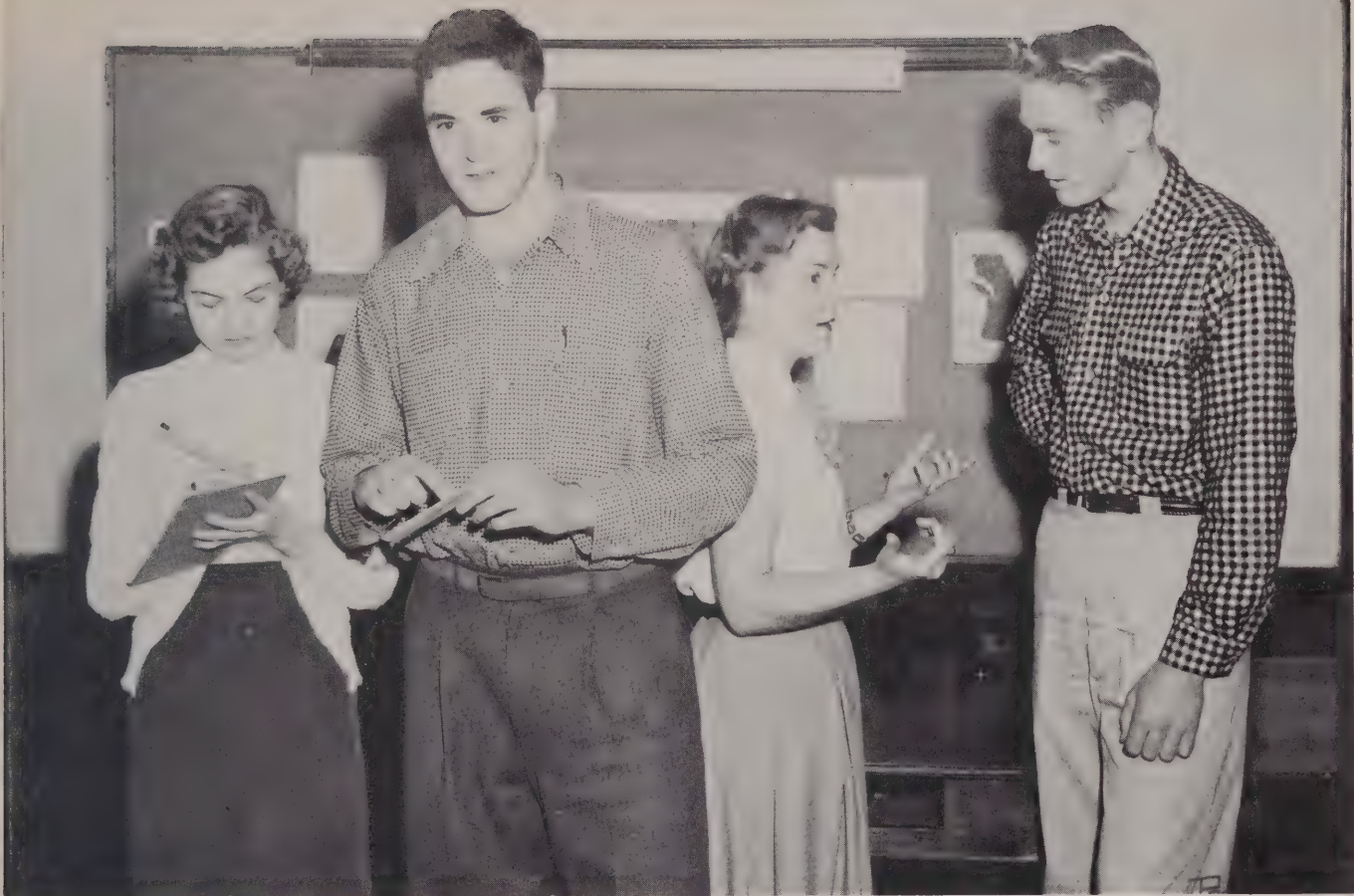
MRS. KATHLEEN G. WHITE
English
Dramatics Club



In Memoriam



A shadow fell over the Junior Class last Spring when our classmate, Robert Manuel, was called from our midst. He will long be remembered as one who was always ready to put duty before personal gain. He served well his school, his community and country. After serving two years with the United States Navy, he returned to school to complete his formal education. His pleasing manner and cheerful personality will remain an inspiration to all who knew him . . .



Janet Beach, Secretary; Fred Robinson, President; Joan Darcey, Vice-President; Bill Nalls, Treasurer:

Seniors leave to remember . . .

The Seniors, proud of their superior rank in the student body, began their last year in high school with an expectant and hopeful outlook. Being only thirty-six in number, they constituted the last of the small classes to graduate from Herndon High. Getting off to a fast start, the students assumed their responsibilities as Seniors by ordering their invitations and name cards for Graduation. After the year actually got under way, the class met as a body and chose their song, colors, flower and motto. A class trip is one of their projects, and with determination and diligent work they hope to fulfill their dream. Above all they look forward expectantly to that magic graduation day when the coveted diploma will at last be their own. Despite all the worries and anxieties that accompanied their Senior year, they will all agree that it has been a momentous and impressive one.

Motto: Knowledge comes but Wisdom lingers

Colors: Dark green and light green

Flower: Yellow rose

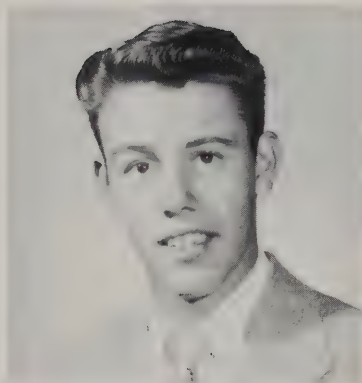
Song: "You'll Never Walk Alone"



RICHARD BAIN . . . "Dick" . . . the fellow with the ready grin . . . those bow-ties! . . . his "knack" for talking, an enjoyment to all who hear him . . . Science Club 1; Spanish Club 3, 4; Football 3, 4.



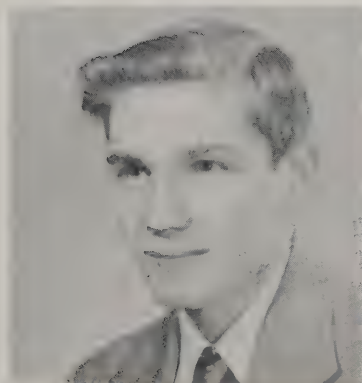
JANET BEACH . . . "most friendly," that's what they pegged her . . . her heart lies afar—with a Marine, no less . . . here's a gal who's a welcome member to any crowd . . . Glee Club 1, 4; F. H. A. 1, 3, 4; Library Club 2; Class Secretary 4.



KELSIE BOYD . . . the boy with that wavy hair . . . loves to dance and does it well, thus the title "best dancer" given him . . . winning way with the girls . . . Hoedown Club 3; Keep Virginia Green Club 4; Glee Club 4; Track 4.



RUTH BRYANT . . . here's as nice a pretty girl as you can find . . . beautiful brunette hair and blue eyes . . . "Sonny"-bound . . . liked very much Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Dramatics Club 1; S. C. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Spanish Club 3, 4.



LEONARD DOUGLAS BURGER . . . "Doug" . . . lazy bones . . . the young man with a million excuses for everything . . . sports either a miniature bus or a squashed-up Dodge. Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Letter Club 3, 4; F. F. A. 1, 2, 4.



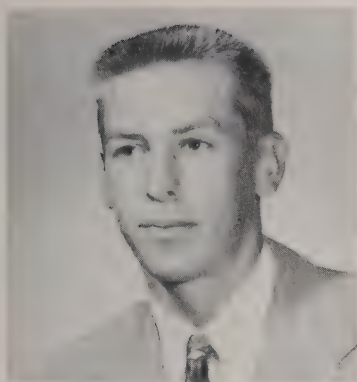
ALMA CORNWELL . . . if you know her you'll like her . . . quite the best person to get along with you've ever seen . . . rather easy-going . . . Glee Club 1; Library Club 2; Hoedown Club 3; Spanish Club 4.



JOAN DARCEY . . . the class intellect with a wit to boot . . . definitely **has** it in the art line . . . Lynchburg-bound . . . Glee Club 1; F. H. A. 1; Class President 1, Treasurer 3, Vice-President 4; Broadcast 1, 2, Art Editor 3, 4; Hornet 2, 3, Art Editor 4; Dramatics Club 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club, Secretary-Treasurer 3, 4.



LOUISE FOX . . . the "quiet one" . . . liked very much for that welcome change . . . beautiful brown hair . . . the kind of girl anyone likes having for a friend . . . Band 1; Spanish Club 4.



MELVIN GARDNER . . . shy and self-confident at the same time . . . inherent art ability . . . a grand S.C.A. President and basketball player rolled into one . . .

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 3; Science Club 1; Broadcast 3; S. C. A. 1, 3, President 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Track 4; Letter Club 3, 4; Class Vice-President 3.



MARJORIE GILLETTE . . . "Marge" . . . the gal with the drama . . . set on one "George" . . . hers is the gift of successful argument . . . dubbed "most witty" . . .

Band 2, 3, President 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Broadcast 2, 3; Hornet 3, 4; Cheerleader 1; Basketball 2.



BETTY HANES . . . psychological-minded . . . a second Rise Stevens . . . also plays clarinet and piano, hence the title "most musical" . . .

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, Secretary-Treasurer 3, President 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2; Broadcast 1, 2, 3, 4; Hornet 2, 3; Class Secretary 3; S. C. A. 1, 2, Secretary 4; Honor Society 3, 4.



SHIRLEY HARRISON . . . the sweet young lady who'll do anything for you and do it well . . . voted "most studious" . . . a teacher coming up . . .

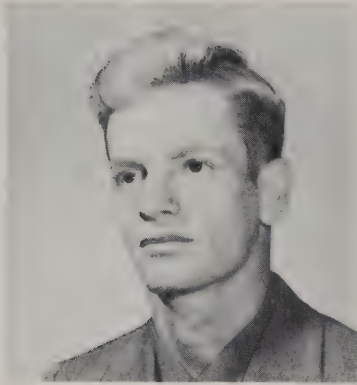
F. H. A. 1, Reporter 2, 3, Vice-President 4; Glee Club 1; Science Club Reporter 1; Spanish Club 3, 4; Broadcast 1, 2, 3, Business Manager 4; Hornet 3, 4; Class Secretary-Treasurer 1, Business Manager 3; Honor Society 3, Secretary 4.



CHESTER HOWE . . . "Mr. Personality" . . . very willing to please . . . the fellow who gets the newspaper out once a month . . . headed for Wake Forest next year . . . "parson"-bound
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 2, 3, 4; Band 2, Drum Major 3, 4; Hornet 3; Broadcast 2, Circulation Manager 3, Editor-in-Chief 4; Football 1.



ALLEN JAMES . . . red-hot Fireman . . . rather carefree about school . . . interested in agriculture . . . the type of fellow who would give you his right arm . . . looks forward mainly to graduation . . .
F. F. A. Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Keep Virginia Green Club 4.



DONALD KERNS . . . "Don" our red-head sports enthusiast . . . he's game on anything . . . sharp clothes . . . can both sing and draw . . . will go to college if he can decide which one . . .
Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Broadcast 2; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Letter Club Treasurer 3, Secretary 4; Class Treasurer 2.



RUBY KIDWELL . . . little "Miss Efficiency" . . . the things she can't do! . . . a good listener . . . usually with a smile on her face or a chuckle in her throat . . . a real sweet gal from every angle
Band 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 4.



ROBERT LAWRENCE . . . "Bobby" . . . the big, big fellow who's a natural in any sport . . . a really good team-worker and sport . . . the active voice on our basketball team . . .
F. F. A. 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; Track 3, 4; Letter Club 2, 3, President 4.

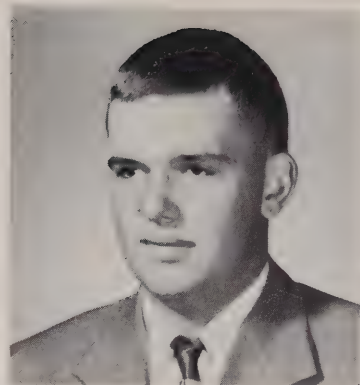


HARRY MICHELITCH . . . "Mike" . . . they call him "Hap" too . . . hardly ever without a smile . . . voted "most attractive" . . . a real star in football . . . rated co-captain . . .
Spanish Club 3, 4; Baseball 2, 4; Basketball 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Letter Club 3, Vice-President 4.



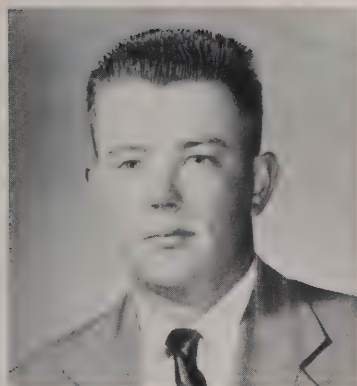
RAYMOND MICHELITCH . . . "Ray" . . . his third year with us . . . liked by everyone for his quiet and easy manner . . . elected President of the U. S. by school November 4 . . . a baseball fan if you ever saw one . . . one who's sure to succeed . . .

Glee Club 2; Spanish Club 4; S. C. A. 4.



BEN MIDDLETON . . . a fellow you can't help liking . . . quiet 'n plain 'n nice . . . quite a dairy man! . . . Southern Regional Dairy Award winner . . . one more pocketed to his already tremendous winnings . . . our bus driver too . . .

F. F. A. Club 1, Secretary 2, President 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1; Football 3, 4; Letter Club 3, 4.



HARRY M. MIDDLETON . . . just give him a couple of hunting dogs, a polished gun, and a wide open field and can he have a good time! . . . likes anything on a farm but those morning milking hours . . . awfully nice to talk to . . .



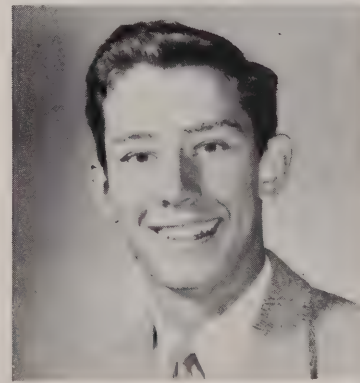
BILL NALLS . . . ole good-nature himself walking around in men's shoes . . . with his blond hair, hearty smile and big build he also looks like he might have hailed from Texas . . . likes to do about everything . . .

Science 1; F. F. A. Club Secretary 3, Vice-President 4; Safety Patrol 2, 3, 4; Class Treasurer 4.



BETTY PAYNE . . . the quiet, quiet member of our class . . . sincerity her virtue . . . a commercial student, she'll make somebody a good, efficient hand to have around an office . . .

Spanish Club 4.



JAMES PIGGOTT . . . "Jimmy" . . . a boy who's had his fingers in everything at one time or another . . . sportsman and scholar rolled into one . . . in hopes of becoming a doctor . . .

Band 2; Dramatics Club 1, 3, President 4; Glee Club 2; Science President 1; Broadcast 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Letter Club 1, 2, 3, 4; S. C. A. 2, 3, Vice-President 4; Honor Society 2, Vice-President 4.

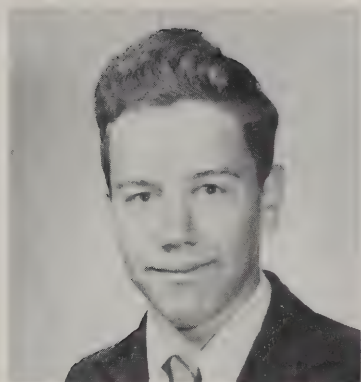


JOAN PRESGRAVES . . . the gal with the beautiful smile . . . those blue eyes don't hurt much either . . . Maid-of-Honor, Homecoming . . . voted "best dancer" . . .

Basketball 1; Glee Club 1, 2; Spanish Club 3, 4.

WILLIAM PULLEN . . . "Junior" . . . the doggone best dancer . . . not too serious about school . . . active member of a reserve unit . . . his seriousness of purpose is to be admired . . .

Band 1; Cheerleader 3; F. F. A. Club 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Football 1.

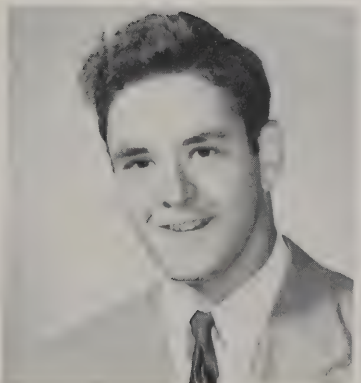


ALLEN REED . . . just give him books to read and a quiet corner—that's enough . . . a lot of information under that one head of hair . . . his quiet manner makes him nice to be near . . .

Glee Club 1; Hoedown Club 3; Patrols 1; Keep Virginia Green Club 4.

BARBARA RITTER . . . "Barb" . . . "Miss Personality, Plus" . . . voted best sport, best dressed . . . busiest gal in school always buzzing around, but always willing to help too . . .

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Broadcast 1, Circulation Manager 2, 3, 4; Hornet 1, 2; Art Editor 3; Editor-in-chief 4; Cheerleader 2, 3, Captain 4; Class President 3; Honor Society 2, 3, President 4.



FRED ROBINSON . . . "Horse" . . . the Senior Class "Paul Bunyan" . . . a typical Marine . . . given title "most witty," and if you've ever been around him you'll know why . . . a sure thing with people . . . everyone likes him

F. F. A. Club 2, 3; Reporter 4; Keep Virginia Green Club 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 4; Letter Club 3, 4; Class President 4.

STARLING SIMMONS . . . our adorable Homecoming Queen . . . what a picture she is with her dark hair and hazel eyes . . . voted "most attractive" too . . . Roanoke College for her next fall . . .

Cheerleader 4; F. H. A. 2; Reporter 3; Treasurer 4; Spanish Club 2, 3; Secretary-Treasurer 4; S. C. A. 4.





CHANNING SMITH . . . "Chan" . . . our nice-looking Romeo . . . alias "the great bluffer" . . . will never miss an opportunity to be absent from school . . . latest attraction: car with four wheels and a gas tank, inclusive . . . F. F. A. Club 1, 2, Reporter 3, President 4; Basketball 2, 3; Football 3, 4; Letter Club 3, Treasurer 4.

MARJORIE THOMPSON . . . hats off to one who can make a success of two jobs . . . (school and Hecht's) . . . loves "mountain music" and sings it real well . . . she has such a pleasant, jolly manner . . .

Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 4.

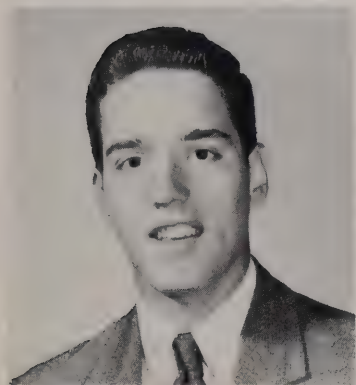


THELMA THOMPSON . . . this is the "Photogenic Miss" of our class . . . beautiful complexion . . . just as nice as they come . . . interested in secretarial work . . . perhaps she will take up further studies in such after graduation . . .

Broadcast 2, 4; Dramatics Club 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Hornet 4; Honor Society 2, 3, 4; S. C. A. 2, Secretary 3.

ANTONIO VEGA . . . "Tokie" . . . quiet manner . . . always so well groomed . . . one of the few boys who always looks as if he had just come from a barber shop . . .

Dramatics Club 1; Glee Club 1, 2; S. C. A. 1, 2; Patrols 2, 3, Lieutenant 4; Spanish Club 3, Vice-President 4; Keep Virginia Green Club 4; Track 3, 4; Letter Club 4.



GUILLERMO VEGA . . . "Billy" . . . one of the busiest boys in the school . . . excellent school spirit . . . quite a track man . . . hopes to become a radio technician . . .

Broadcast 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2; Patrols 1, 2, 3, Captain 4; Spanish Club Vice-President 3, President 4; Track 3, 4; S. C. A. Treasurer 4; Letter Club 4; Class Vice-President 2; Keep Virginia Green Club 4; Honor Society 4.

NANCY WILSON . . . quiet and likeable . . . a forth-coming business woman . . . her excellent spelling ability will aid her in that aim . . . and such a beautiful complexion and catching smile . . . need not worry about her! . . .

Band 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1; Spanish Club 4.



Work-worn Juniors find the way hard . . .



Leslie Wright, Vice-President; Thom Hanes, President; Margaret Buell, Secretary; Fleita Holbert, Treasurer; Kay Updike, Business Manager.

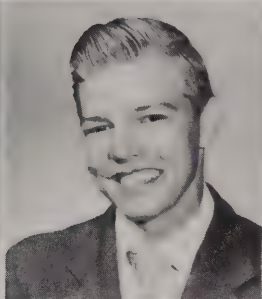
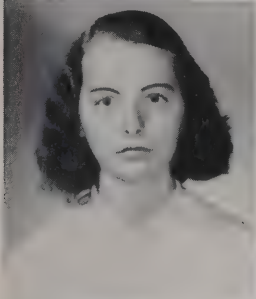
The Juniors, following true to fashion, have been busy as bees this year attempting to finance and organize the annual Junior-Senior Prom. Being a naturally active class, they have not restrained their efforts and talents merely to this activity but also earned themselves a trip to Williamsburg through a Talent Show and Bake Sales. Money for the Prom was raised through Christmas card and book cover sales. Although the work has been continuous and the bumps many, the success of their year and of their Prom will offset all else.



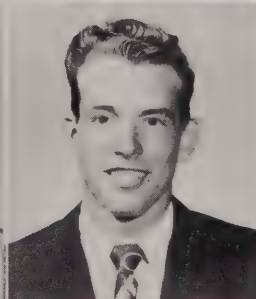
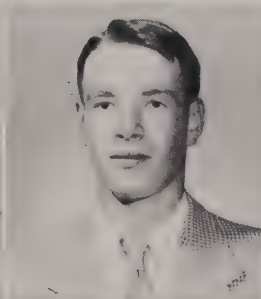
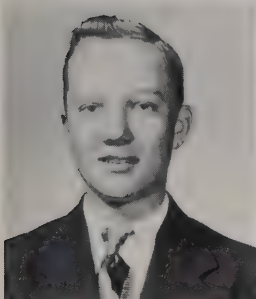
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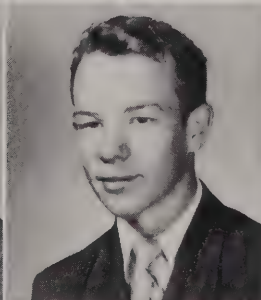
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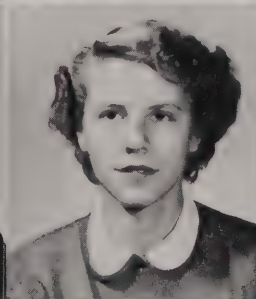
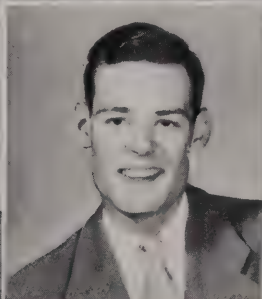
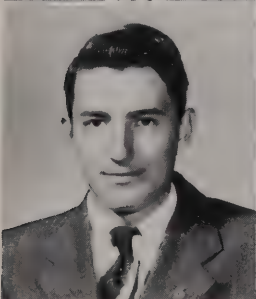
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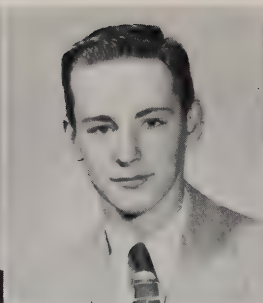
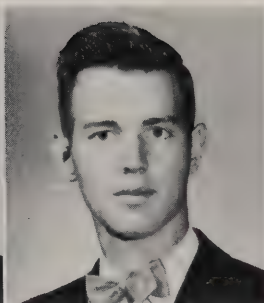
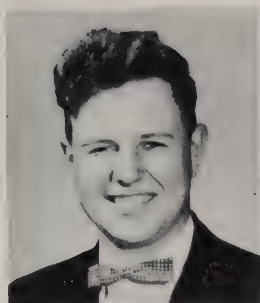


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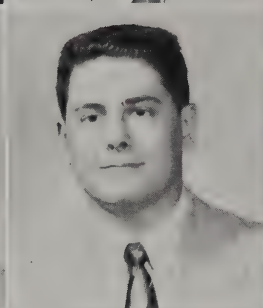


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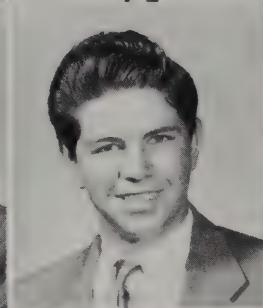
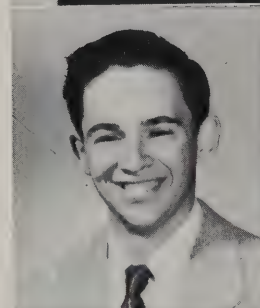
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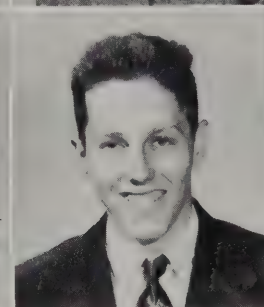
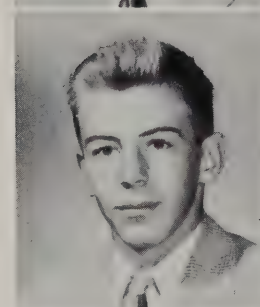
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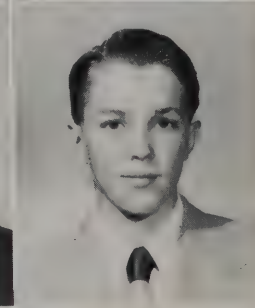
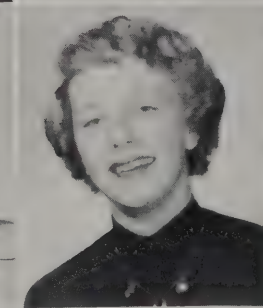
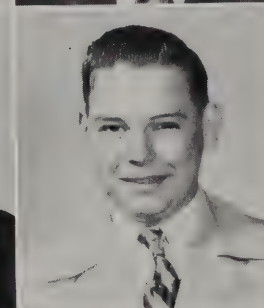
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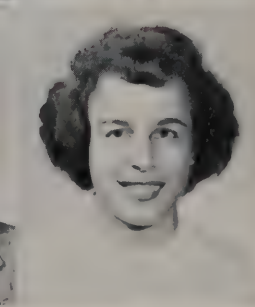
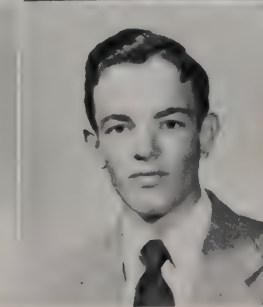
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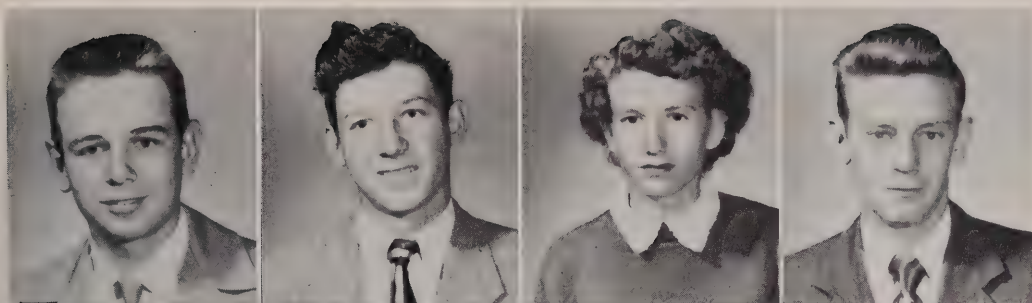


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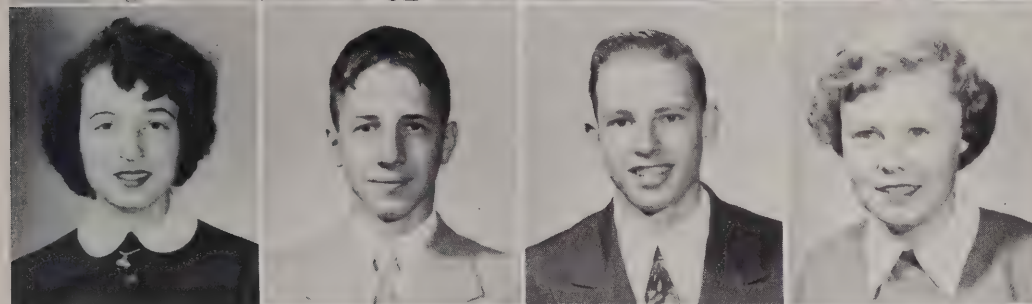


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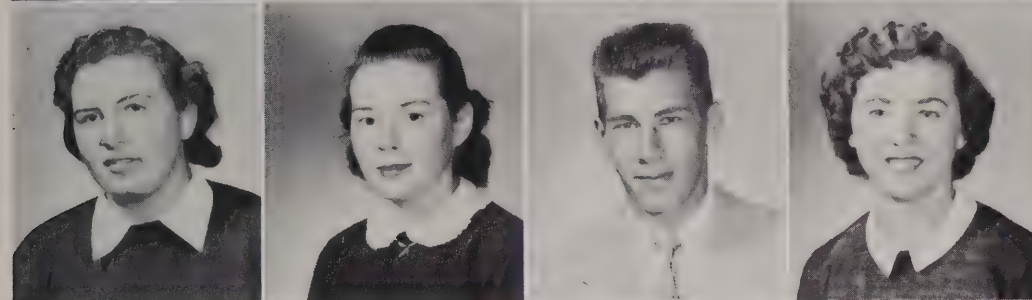




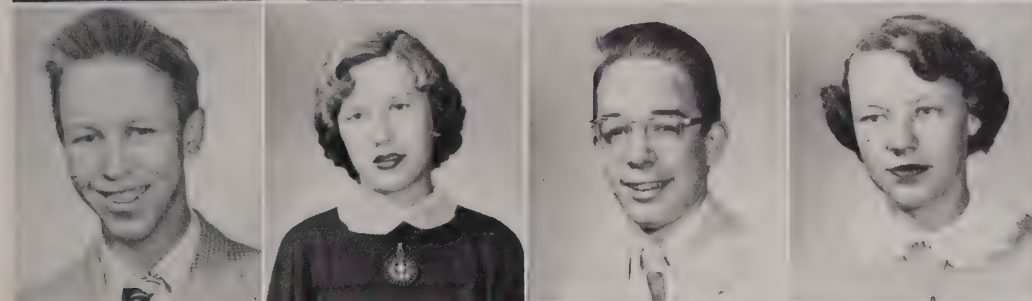
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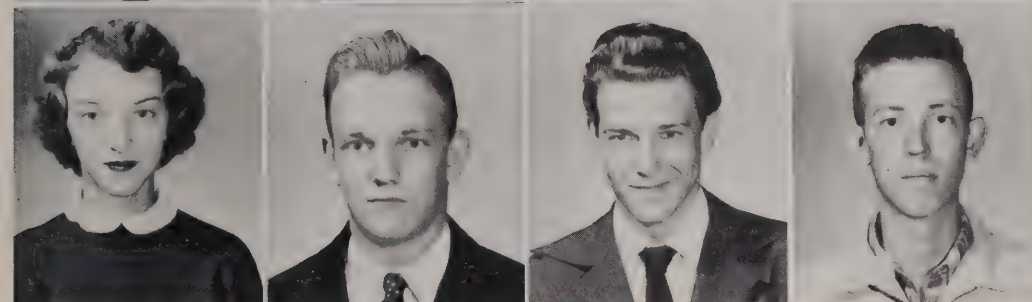
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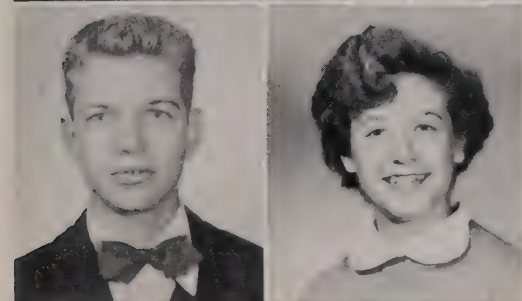
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Fleming, Carliss

Sophomores take life easy . . .



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Cox, Dan
Darcey, Richard
Deck, Mary Frances



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Nyce, Anne Walker
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Reece, Jane
Reed, Garrett
Ritter, Peter
Rust, Martha
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Schneider, Peggy
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Smith, Buddy
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Freshmen find their opportunities at last . . .

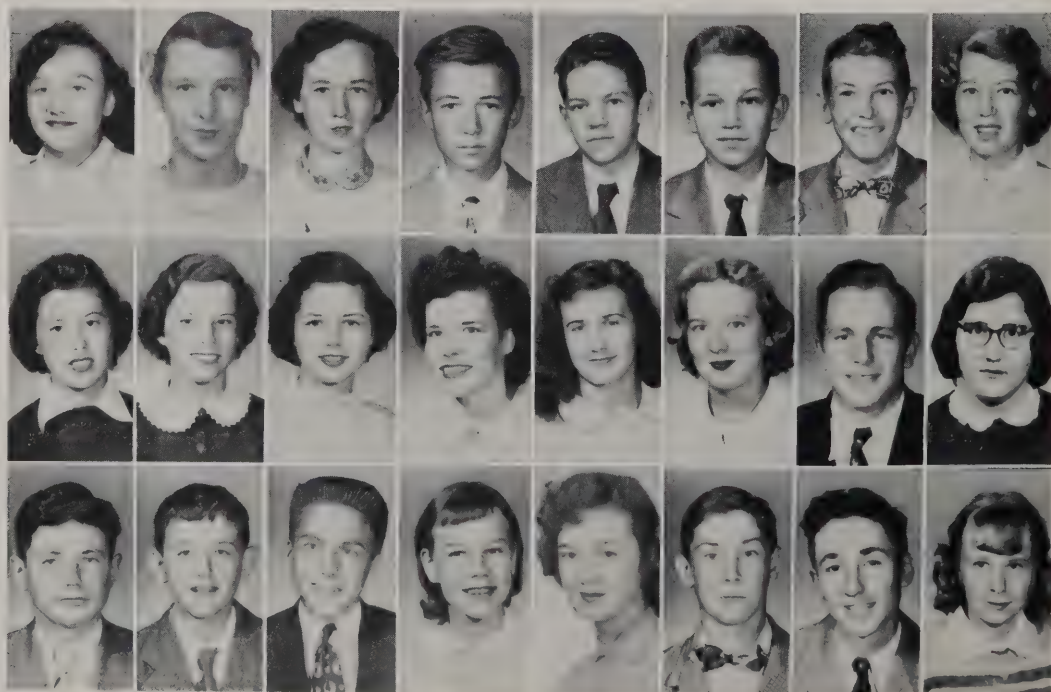


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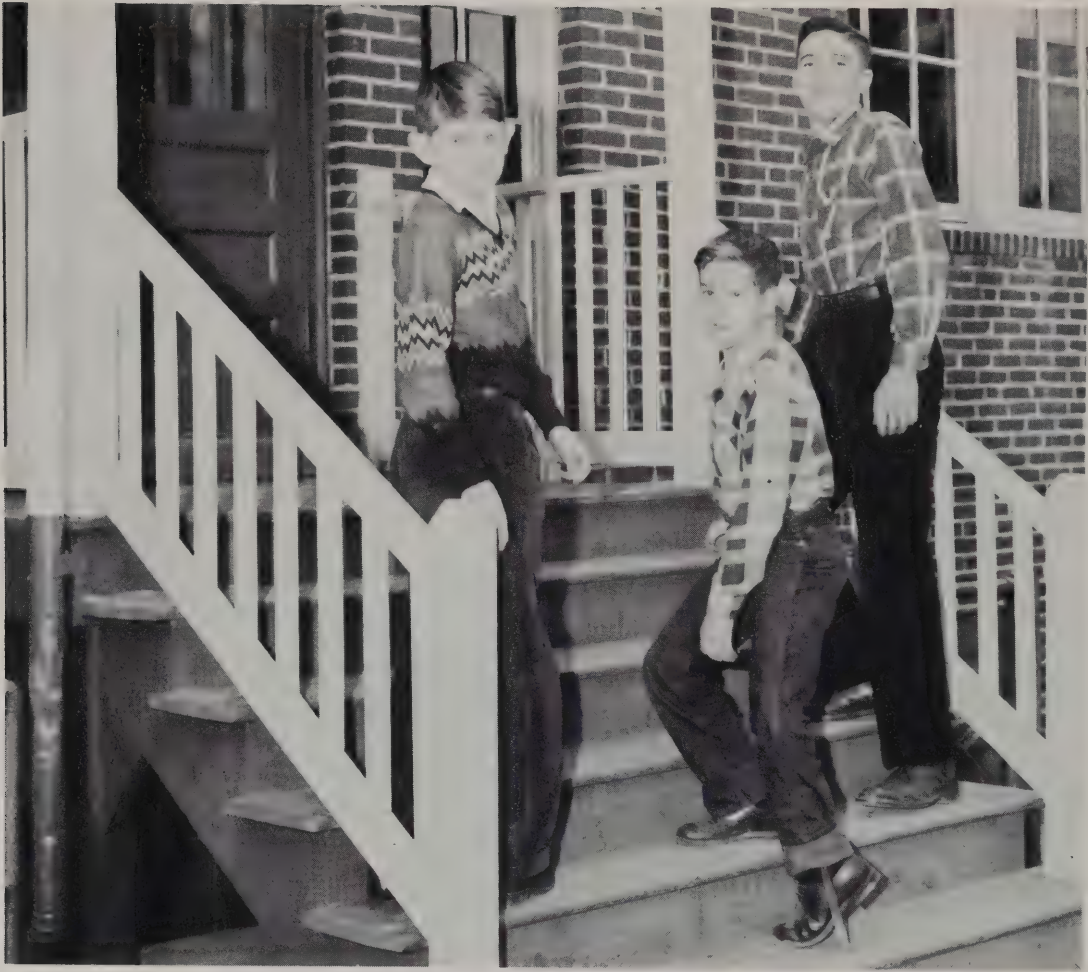




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Eighth Graders wonder at it all . . .



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Farr, Mack
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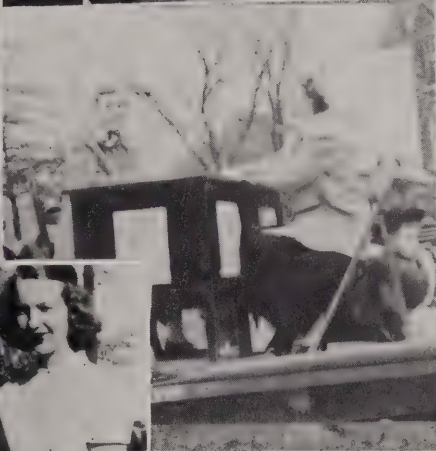
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Anderson, Thurman
Grubb, Dean
Peters, Nancy





The strength which lies behind the policies of self-government



Left foreground: Herman Croson, Barbara Harrison, Betty Powell, Kay Miller, Larry Keyes, Andrew Hite, James Miller, Jack Rinker, Pat Miller, Kay Martin, Melvin Gardner, President; James Piggott, Vice-President; Betty Hanes, Secretary; Guillermo Vega, Treasurer; Miss Ellmore, sponsor; Carole Hayes, Richard Darcey, Ray Michelitch, Ruth Bryant, Starling Simmons, Ed McCrohan, Lois Carper.

Student Council Association

The S.C.A. has been as active this year as in previous years. In its yearly clean-up campaign the results were seen shortly after it was waged. Its participation in Homecoming helped to make that occasion a big success. It is the S.C.A. that sees to the collection of money for activities, sponsors and conducts the Magazine Drive (money from which is apportioned among various activities), heads such drives as March of Dimes and Easter Seals and sponsors Courtesy Week. This representative group, the council, cooperates with other schools in the County for the welfare of its Student Body.

Courtesy Week
Homecoming
Assemblies

Clean-up Campaign
Magazine Drive



Left: Margaret Buell, Fleita Holbert, Lois Carper, Joy Hollar, Allyn Hawthorn, James Piggott—Vice-President, Mrs. Beattie—Sponsor; Right Center: Barbara Ritter—President, Shirley Harrison—Secretary, Betty Hanes, Thelma Thompson, Edwin McCrohan, Carolyn Cones, Dennis Frame—Treasurer.

Honor Society

The Herndon Chapter of the National Honor Society held its annual installation of new members on November 14, 1952, inducting into the organization seven new members. Among the activities discussed and put into effect this year were the establishment of a lost and found department, and the co-operation with the S.C.A. in a clean-up campaign. Both activities proved to be very successful and beneficial to the school. In the latter fact lies the purposefulness of the organization.

Recalled to our memory by pictures . . .



Left To Right: Thelma Thompson, Marjorie Gillette, Gayle Yates, Willetta Yates, Saralyn Alston—Assistant Editor, Lois Carper, Barbara Ritter—Editor-in-Chief, Deirdre Reynolds, Joan Darcey—Art Editor, Allyn Hawthorne, Nancy Hopkins, Sandra Dixon. Not pictured, Mr. Crawford—Sponsor.

The Hornet

Foreground: Rosemary Gantt, Joy Hollar, Virginia Moffett, Gordon Harrison. Background: Jack Wenzel, Beverly Albright—Business Manager, Kay Martin, Lloyd Robey, Shirley Mooney, Gordon Downs, Mary Martha Taylor, Thom Hanes, Josiah Howe.



The long hours of hard work — the struggles of picture taking — the teachers we must have inconvenienced — the wails over lost pictures — the work toward a deadline which must be met — the steady stream of faces, typed pages, brown envelopes, and bills — are indicative of the Hornet staff.

And the press . . .



Background: Ellen Fleming, Fleita Holbert Mary Rust, Joan Darcey, Stanley Dees, Patricia Grimley, Thelma Thompson, Kay Updike. Foreground: Carolyn Cones, Winnie Lee Brown, Betty Robey, Shirley Harrison—Business Manager, Rose Marie Pierson, Joy Hollar—Assistant Editor, Chester Howe—Editor-in-Chief, Mr. Meyer—Sponsor.

The Broadcast

The organization with the job of putting out monthly 400 copies of the school newspaper.

Articles appear on such topics as sports, S. C. A. meeting reports, Class activities, the latest in styles, and the always enlightening gossip column.

The success of this paper can be attributed to the variation of articles and its writing staff.



Top Row: Left To Right Sally Shull, Janice Hunt, Shirley O'Meara, Allyn Hawthorne, Marjorie Gillette, Stephanie Lovell, Marie Ledford, Martha Rust, Doris Smelser, Lois Carper, Margaret Reed, Evalyn Hadley, Nancy Hopkins, Beverly Bradford, Faye Barker, Betty Graves, Nancy Davis, Gayle Yates, Jane Denslow, Margaret Buell, Rosemary Gantt, Saralyn Alston, Beverly Albright, Betty Hanes. Bottom Row: Jan Martin, David Tucker, Thom Hanes, Barbara Ritter, Christine Scholes, Kay Miller, Robin Newell.



Left To Right, Foreground: Jimmy Piggott—President, Joy Hollar, Chester Howe, Alice Costello. First Row: Pat Miller, Kay Updike, Mary Rust, Kay Martin, Esther Trucksess, Nancy Updike, Mrs. White—Sponsor, Deirdre Reynolds, Shirley Bailey, Saralyn Alston, Rosemary Gantt, Willetta Yates, Beverly Albright, Marjorie Gillette. Second Row: Marlene Harrison, Charlotte Leith, Carolyn Doe, Esther Rollins, Sally Helm, Evalyn Hadley, Martha Rust, Nancy Hopkins. Janice Hunt, June Burgess, Sandra Dixon, Gayle Yates, Doris Smelser, Lois Carper, Rosie Pierson. Third Row: Mary Ruth Jackson, Margaret Reed, Johnny Primoff, Richard Tacy, Allyn Hawthorne, Ellen Fleming, Winnie Brown, Joy McGlinicy, Barbara Ledford, Ginger Blair, Harold Schneider, Saloma Marshall, Mary Kerns, Carolyn Matthews. Fourth Row: David Tucker, Betty Hanes, Jan Martin, David Trucksess, Larry Keys, Gray Hanes, Sonny Jacobs, Shirley Baughan, Shirley O'Meara, Mary Taylor. Fifth Row: Joyce Smith, Anne Sagar, Sally Shull, Gregory Costa, David Bradshaw, Fred Doe, Stanley Dees, Bernard Deck, Kay Miller, Gerry Hutchison, Nancy Davis, Camilla Wenmohs, Jane Denslow.

Dramatics Club

Plays were numerous on the club agenda this year, some serving as assembly programs, others as meat for the critics. Demonstrations and lectures were given for the purpose of instructing the members in all phases of dramatic art. Talent for the spring contest play was cast through the club. The club recognizes the possibility of a second play in late spring and looks forward to its production. The club has fulfilled all the aims which it set forth in the fall by its variation of activities.

And . . .



Left To Right, Foreground: Pat Ankers, Ruth Bryant, Joan Presgraves, Starling Simmons, Barbara Bailey, Loretta James, Alice Settle, Marjorie Thompson, Jane Denslow, Nancy Wilson, Guillermo Vega—President. Left To Right, Center: Alma Cornwell, Louise Fox, Joan Darcey, Shirley Harrison, Elizabeth Gouldthorpe, Jo Ann Everly, Catherine Facchina, Shirley O'Meara, Alice Costello, Shirley Mooney, Carolyn Cones, Janice Harrison, Barbara Harrison. Left To Right, Background: Jack Rinker, Jack Wenzel, Richard Bain, David Tucker, David Putnam, Charles Forbes, Gordon Harrison, Thom Hanes, Billy Riddel, Glenn Haller, Antonio Vega, Charles Jackson, Raymond Michelitch, Seated Mr. Meyer—Sponsor.

Spanish Club

"The Latin-American Club of Mutual Understanding"—the organization which has progressed far in its goal of appreciation of the culture and customs of "países de habla español." This it has accomplished by actual participation in the traditions peculiar to these people. At Christmas time, a festival featuring a piñata was held. Also, a nativity scene of hand-made Mexican figures was erected for exhibition to the school. At a later date a collection of South American dress and paintings was exhibited. Plans were discussed for a proposed trip to the Pan American Union and numerous embassies in Washington. All activities accounted for, the year has proved very profitable.

Lending a voice . . .



GLEE

Sponsor—Mrs. H. E. Trucksess, Left To Right, First Row: David Tucker, Richard Rollison, Yvonne Thompson, Julia Lawrence, Maralyn Mooney, Mary Hedrick, Mary Kerns, Evlayne Bradford, Margaret Buell, Betty Hanes—President, Fleita Holbert—Treasurer, Gayle Yates, Marjorie Gillette, Winnie Brown, Shirley Baughan, Sally Shull, Josiah Howe, Fred Doe. Second Row: Richard Costello, Kent Sasher, Betty Kerns, Elizabeth Dyer, Doris Smelser, Betty Martyn, Anne Nyce, Robin Newell, Beverly Bradford, Shirley Hayes, Florence Tippet, Anne Sager, Barbara Ritter, Camilla Wenmohs, Stephanie Lovell, Robert McQuin, Peter Simpson. Third Row: Chester Howe, Nancy Hopkins, Thelma Thompson, Ruby Kidwell, Mary Taylor, Loretta Coy, Barbara Thompson, Evelyn Hadley, Shelby Parks, Carole Hayes, Glenda Bradford, Gayle Head, Dixie Simpson, Joyce Smith, Pauline Bridge, Martha Rust, Saralyn Alston—Secretary, Beverly Albright, Shirley Miller, Allyn Hawthorne. Fourth Row: Gregory Costa, David Bradshaw, Ronald Tarr, Helen Endress, Susan Tubaugh, Virginia Moffett—Vice-President, June Burgess, Betty Williams, Deirdre Reynolds, Kay Martin, Ellen Fleming, Esther Trucksess, Mary Rust, Janice Hunt, Nancy Updike, Kay Updike, Jan Martin, David Trucksess.

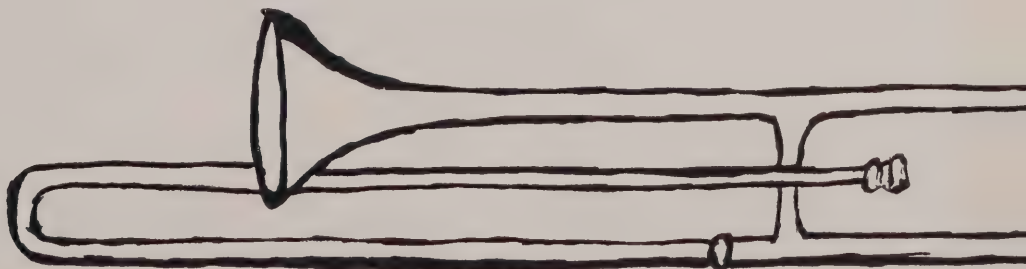
And an ear . . .

Band

Under their new director, Mr. James Schrodtt, the band has been reorganizing due to the lack of instrumentation in various sections. The band always suffers the loss of musicians who are members of the graduating class.

This year the band was a participant in several of the home football games. It will, as in previous years, enter into the Regional Music Festival in the Spring in class V music. It was their honor last year to earn themselves a rating of I or "Superior" in this concert. Their members are as follows: Clarinet, Betty Hanes, Margorie Gillette, Ed Crohan, John Keiffer, Fred Doe, Martha Rust, Carl Heglar; Oboe, Mary Martha Taylor; Flute, Caroline Cones; Bassoon, Lois Carper; Saxophone, Gray Hanes, Larry Keyes, Kay Updike, Dennis McCrohan; French Horn, Barbara Ritter, David Bradshaw, Jan Martin, Ellen Flemming; Bass, Wilmar Davis; Trumpet, Peck Gillette, Gregory Costa, Wayne Updike, Bob Killion; Trombone, Billy Miller; Percussion, Mary Rust, Betty Williams.

The Glee Club has been an active participant in school affairs this year. It presented a cantata entitled "Why the Chimes Rang," representing many of the members in the drama and in the chorus. Due to the efforts of the director, a very entertaining program was given before the Christmas holiday. The Club has had varying types of programs and is now considering some musical for the Spring. As in other years it will provide the music for graduation.



these ladies prepare for homemaking . . .



Left To Right: Rosemary Gheen, Barbara Thompson, Helen Ledford, Anna Gouldthorpe, Nellie Kidwell, Romaine Gardner, Loretta James, Marie Hash, Joanne Gheen—Secretary, Alice Settle, Barbara Bowers, Loretta Coy, Carole Hayes, Katherine Kulp, Starling Simmons—Treasurer, Beverly Moffett, Arlie Carpenter, Shelby Parks, Marie Ledford, Barbara Harrison, Barbara Baughman, Shirley Harrison—Vice-President, Robin Newell, Jane Reece, Janet Beach, Helen Endress, and Virginia Moffett (in mirror)—President.

Future Homemakers of America

The F.H.A. (Future Homemakers of America) Club, with its purpose of understanding and promoting the arts of homemaking has attempted to fulfill this purpose by the following active means: entertainment furnished once during the year by each member of the organization, talks given by members of the community, on such topics as "Careers in Homemaking" and "Spiritual Life in the Home." Parties for the purpose of group recreation and the Mother-Daughter-Father-Son Banquet for purpose of closer relationship.

while the gents stick to the plow . . .



Left To Right, Background: Bobby Crone, Edward Brockman, Howard Legg, Roy Fox, Claude Williams, Ronald Dove, Leslie Kidwell, Donald Peters, Leroy Beach, Ben Middleton, Buddy Smith, Gerry Schmitz, Bill Nalls, Fred Robinson. Foreground: Dan Fox, Harry Tabaugh, Richard Beach, Carliss Fleming, Bobby Lawrence, Wallace Kerns, Douglas Burger, Allen James, Charles Fox, Channing Smith, Richard Williams, David Schalet. Not pictured: Mr. Beam—Sponsor.

Future Farmers of America

The F.F.A. has this year completed much of the plans which it set forth in the fall. Various agricultural projects were undertaken for the purpose of informing or teaching the members new tricks in one field or another. Such a program gave the members actual participation in the work and more interest was aroused on behalf of the activities. With the approach of springtime, there will be more observations to be made and inspection of fields, seeding, etc. will add to the already profitable schedule.

Some absorb knowledge through experimentation



Left To Right, Seated: Rosemary Gantt, Carolyn Matthews, Sandra Dixon—Secretary, Joy McGlincy, Ginger Blair, Shirley Bailey, Richard Tacey, Joseph Facchina, Marilyn Brinkly. Standing: Mr. Bruin—Sponsor, Elder Beach, Gray Hanes, Saloma Marshall, Ed McCrohan, Wilson Beach, Dennis Frame—President, Charles Oliver—Vice-President. Not pictured: James Miller, Peter Ritter, Earl Rogers, John Sleptz, James Swart.

Science Club

The Science Club has tried to make the programs this year as interesting as possible by varying them in numerous ways. For instance, reports have been given on such topics as Wild Life, The Steam Engine, Electronics and Electricity. Slides have been shown and demonstrations given on other phases of Science. It is hoped that among the spring activities will be a trip to the theater, where the members may see just exactly how a movie is run.



Left To Right: Ed McCrohan, Betty Williams, Ruby Beavers, Anna Cooper, Katherine Fortney, Margie Sutphin, Sonya Popovich, Janice Harrison, Carolyn Cones, Miriam Stuart, Joanna Hill, Betty Robey. Not pictured: Mrs. Beattie—Sponsor.

Library Club

Has more work placed upon it as the library increases in size. The necessary activities which must be performed are taken up in the regular meetings. Members of the club are taught where to find materials, why they are listed as they are and the procedure of checking a book in and out. This is useful in the absence of the teacher in charge for she knows that while she is away, however long the time may be, that there is someone who can manage capably until her return. These same members are of help to their classmates in locating books, collecting information peculiar to one topic, and arranging for its use by that person. The club then is functioning to the advantage of the greater part of the school.

These insure our right . . .



Left To Right: Peggy Schneider, Ed Putnam—2nd Lieutenant, Gordon Kinchloe, Faye Walters, Harry Tubaugh, Mary Smith, William Jackson, Charles Oilver, Barbara Bailey—Secretary, Joyce Webster, Charles Jackson, Carolyn Cornwell, Ronald Dove, Donald Morris, Ronald Tarr, Antonio Vega—1st Lieutenant, Curtis Miller, Shirley Mooney, James McCauley, Leslie Thompson, Christine Sholes, Marie McIntyre, Eulayne Bradford, Billy Vega—Captain. Not pictured: Mr. Orr—Sponsor, Richard Williams, Marylanne Mooney, Bill Nalls, Lloyd Robey, Robert Jenkins, Frank Simmons.

Safety Club

This organization has been very successful this year in its attempt to promote good safety policies and student cooperation. It is their job to solve any difficulties arising on the buses, take complete charge of fire drills, call rooms to assembly, assign bus patrols, discuss general safety in their group and then extend this knowledge to the school. They also collected admission to the football games. At present the Safety Patrol is developing plans for executing effective fire drills after moving into the new school.

to glory . . .



Left To Right, Top: Charles McCauley, Herman Croson, Harry Michelitch, Jack Rinker, James Piggott, Melvin Gardner, Bobby Lawrence—President. Bottom: Chan Smith, George Thompson, J. Griffiths—Sponsor, Donald Kern.

Letter Club

An organization which boasts of only the very best in athletic might, and well it has the right to do so. Each member of the group has worked hard for the honor of possessing a school letter. This letter, which signifies extra output on the part of the individual, is the main requisite of the organization. The sports which may be lettered in include the following: football, basketball, baseball and track. Once a candidate for membership in the club, one must survive the initiation. Having accomplished this, the new fellow falls into the order of sports discussions at meetings or actual participation in the activity of the season.

We've got a school . . .

2-Bits

Sittin-in-a-grandstand

Come on boys, let's go to town . . .



Left to Right: Saralyn Alston, Anne Nyce, Kay Martin, Pat Miller, Starling Simmons, Barbara Ritter — Captain, Beverly Albright, Martha Rust, Allyn Hawthorne, not pictured: Barbara Harrison.

Cheerleaders

The football fields and the gymnasium floors gave forth victory after victory to our teams. The cheering section which appeared for the games whether near or far away always gave good support to the teams. This year one might also have observed the attitude which prevailed during games when the scores were close. Those in attendance shouted as loudly then as they had done when there was a ten point lead. May such school spirit strive to even greater heights in the following years.



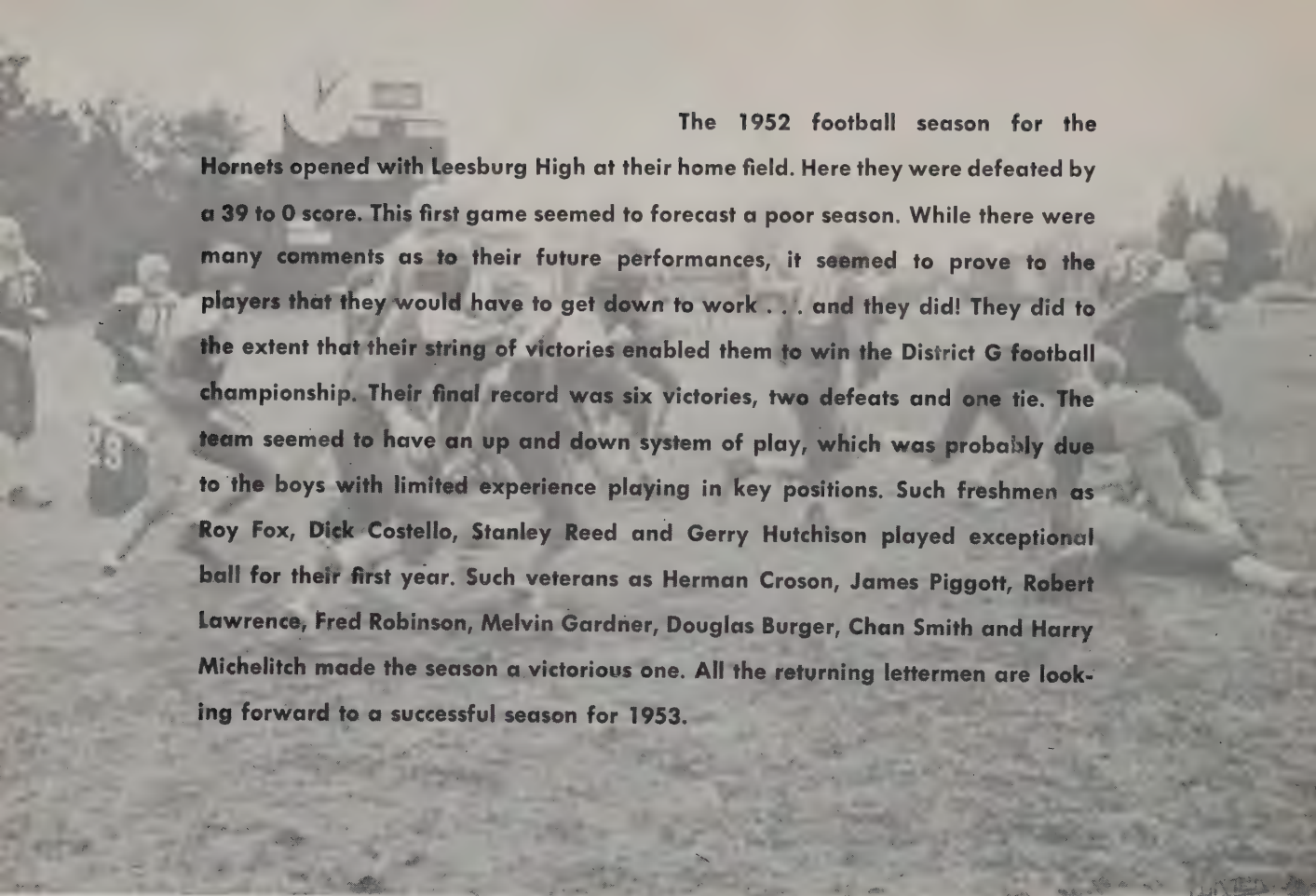
SPORTS:

This has indeed been an eventful year for the participants in the various sports. Football, that never-failing-in-popularity game, attracted large crowds to all of its games. It is a certainty that the viewers received a lot for their money, for the team lost only two of its scheduled games. The J. V. teams in all sports were especially active and successful this year, winning most of their encounters.

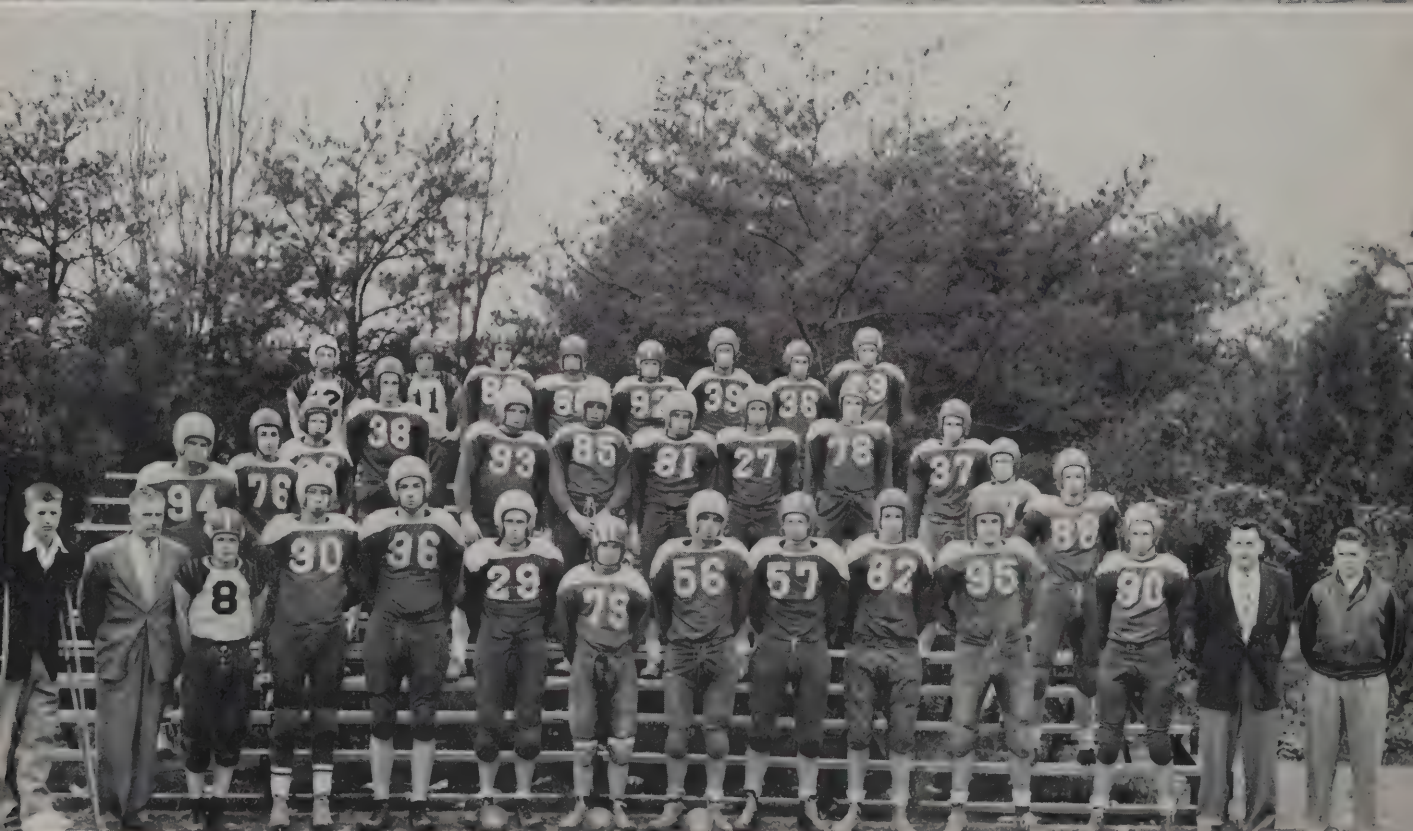
The girls' basketball team started its season off with a bang, winning over all opposition in every game. It continued to progress toward championship. The boys' team, drawing large crowds and loud cheers, as always, has fared very well. The greatest disappointment we felt was losing the game when the team was within two points of the opponents—the time was just too short!!!

The track team had more participants this year than in previous years. Their success lay mainly in long legs and fast feet.

Baseball has been in its usual standing: an entertaining sport, unpredictable and easily explainable to the girls, therefore everyone is in attendance at the games. There must be some logical theory—for our baseball team has been exceedingly successful—and so ends a happy season of sports! . . .



The 1952 football season for the Hornets opened with Leesburg High at their home field. Here they were defeated by a 39 to 0 score. This first game seemed to forecast a poor season. While there were many comments as to their future performances, it seemed to prove to the players that they would have to get down to work . . . and they did! They did to the extent that their string of victories enabled them to win the District G football championship. Their final record was six victories, two defeats and one tie. The team seemed to have an up and down system of play, which was probably due to the boys with limited experience playing in key positions. Such freshmen as Roy Fox, Dick Costello, Stanley Reed and Gerry Hutchison played exceptional ball for their first year. Such veterans as Herman Croson, James Piggott, Robert Lawrence, Fred Robinson, Melvin Gardner, Douglas Burger, Chan Smith and Harry Michelitch made the season a victorious one. All the returning lettermen are looking forward to a successful season for 1953.



Left to Right, First Row: Leslie Wright, J. B. Hanes—Line Coach, Wilmer Davis, Jimmy Piggott, Roy Fox, Herman Croson, Stanley Reed, Chan Smith, Jack Rinker, Johnnie Sleptz, Fred Robinson, Jack Wenzel, J. Griffiths—Coach, Donald Morris—Manager. Second Row: Ed McCrohan, Robert Downs, Gray Hanes, Billy Hill, Bobby Lawrence, Harry Michelitch, Charles McCauley, Melvin Gardner, Richard Dacey, Richard Costello, Gerry Hutchison, Donald Kerns. Third Row: Bobby Blair, Maurice Smallwood, Sonny Jacobs, Robert McQuinn, Kenneth O'Bannon, Buddy Smith, Charles Jackson, Jan Martin.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Home 0
Leesburg 39

Home 27
Warrenton 20

Home 19
Marshall 7

Home 7
Washington & Lee J. V. 27

Home 32
Charlotte Hall 12

Home 28
Occoquan 7

Home 13
Aldie 13

Home 27
Lincoln 12

Home 27
George Mason 18

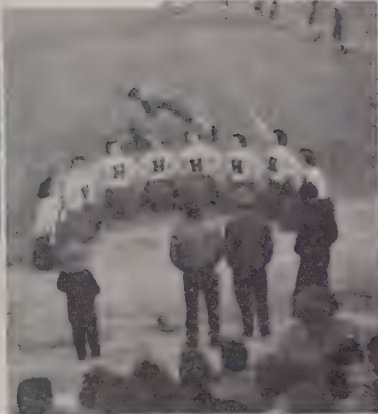




Highlighted by

Homecoming







Left to Right, First Row: Helen Endress, Winnie Lee Brown, Deirdre Reynolds, Barbara Harrison, Julia Lawrence, Clara Shutts, Joyce Smith, Marie McIntre, Faye Walter, Barbara Bailey, Constance Pierson. Second Row: Pat Grimley—Captain, Janice Hunt, Joy Hollar, Shirley Bailey, Corky Facchina, Gayle Yates—Score Keeper, Mrs. H. Trucksess—Coach, Rosemary Gantt—Manager, Mary Rust, Rosie Pierson, Kay Updike, Sandra Dixon, June Burgess, not pictured: Virginia Moffett.

The girls' basketball team, working for championship, started off its season with a bang, winning over all teams it met. Under the coaching of Mrs. Trucksess, the girls not only progressed in the skills of the game but also in sportsmanship and teamwork, qualities indicative of a first rate team.

In the county tournament held the first of February, the girls again enacted their role as champions. For the score of their games, see opposite page. There is the conclusive evidence!

Pat Grimley

Deirdre Reynolds

Joy Hollar

Rose Marie Pierson



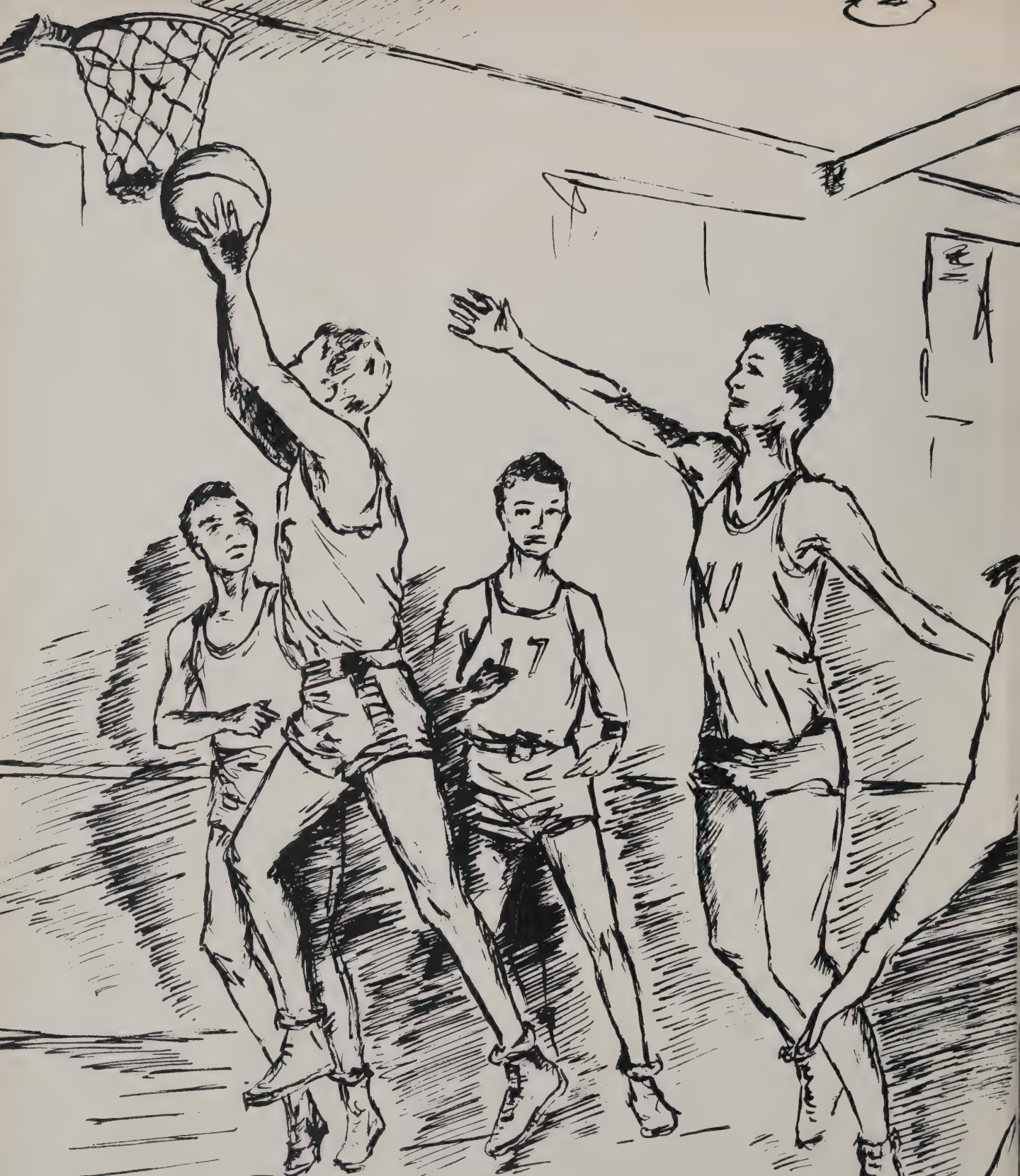


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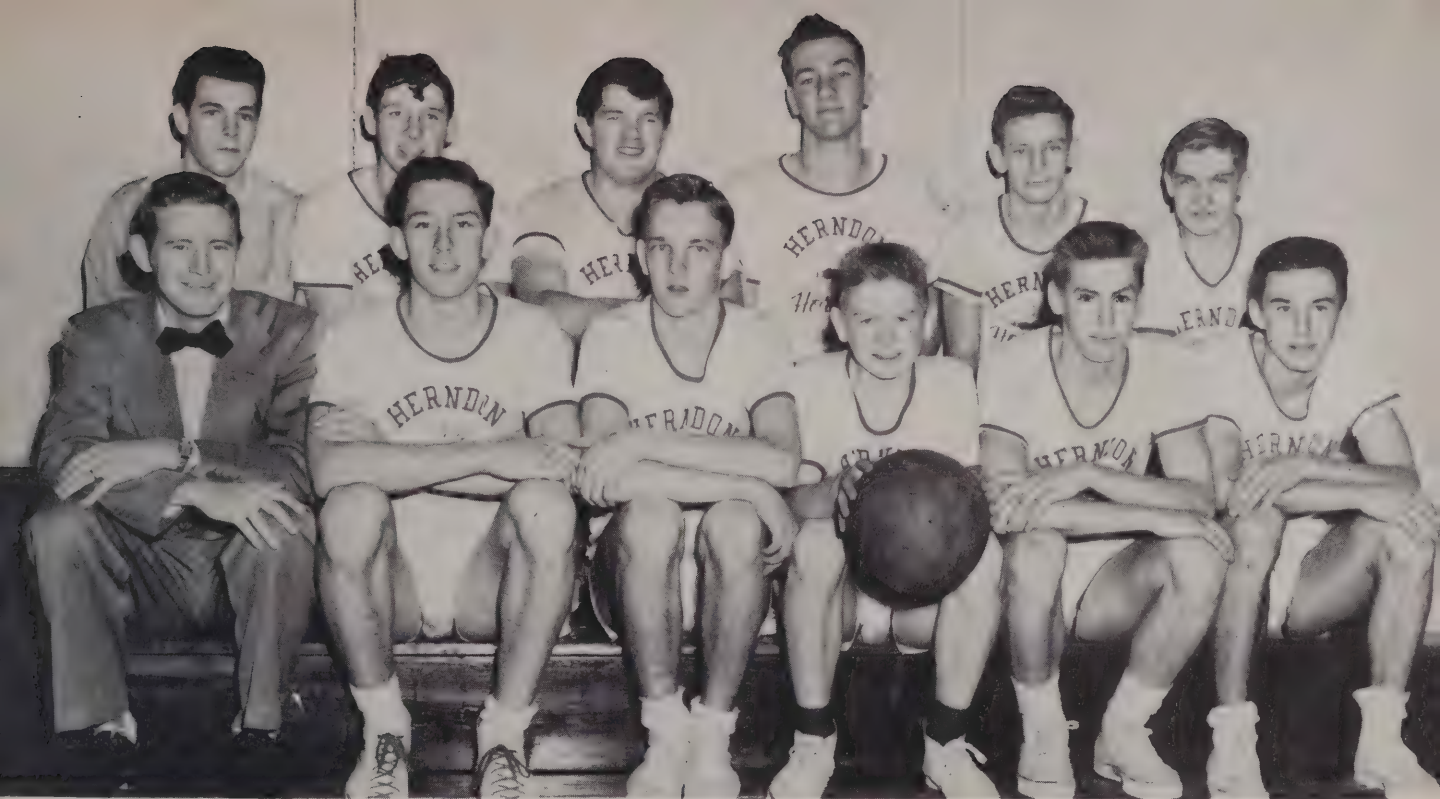
Kay Updike



Home	Visitors
52 Manassas	34
35 Falls Church, JV	20
45 Falls Church	28
62 George Mason	53
48 Falls Church, JV	37
43 Falls Church	24
33 Fairfax, JV	21
42 Fairfax	21
47 Marshall	34
52 Nokesville	48
40 Marshall	29
50 Warrenton	38
46 Occoquan	28
53 Manassas	37
58 Leesburg	35
Tournaments	
27 County: Fairfax	22
36 Falls Church	26
37 District: Lincoln	35
55 Lovettesville	53



		Home			Home
Falls Church	75	52	Warrenton	49	48
Manassas	63	57	Occoquan	39	53
George Mason	62	38	Styvestant	50	29
Falls Church	75	54	Manassas	52	53
Marshall	49	43	Leesburg	40	53
Nokesville	39	59	Tournaments		
Marshall	67	64	County: Mount Vernon	53	39
Occoquan	45	30	District: Marshall	43	41
			Leesburg	45	44



Left to Right, First Row: R. C. Rolley—Coach, Jimmy Piggott, Jack Wenzel, Gray Hanes, Melvin Gardner, Curtiss Miller. Second Row: Bobby Wiley—Manager, Jack Rinker, Bobby Lawrence, Roy Fox, Lloyd Robey, Douglas Burger.

The boys' team, progressing rather slowly at the beginning of the season, picked up as the weeks went along. Excellent sportsmanship was shown on the part of the team members at all times. The scores will be found on the opposite page.



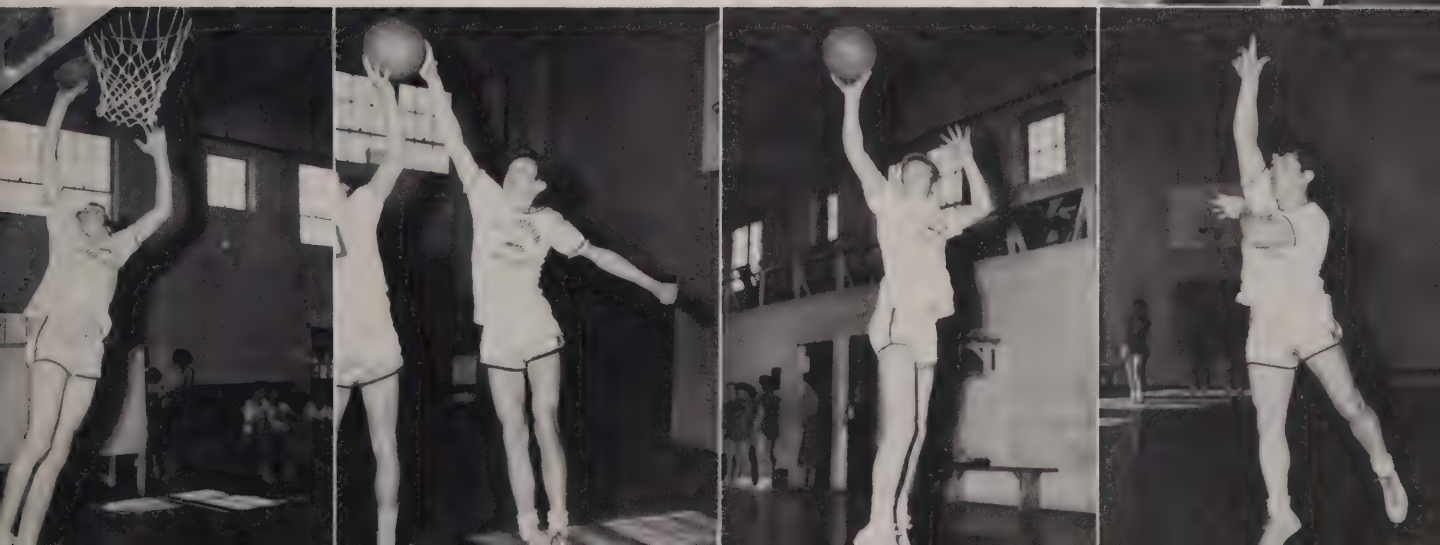
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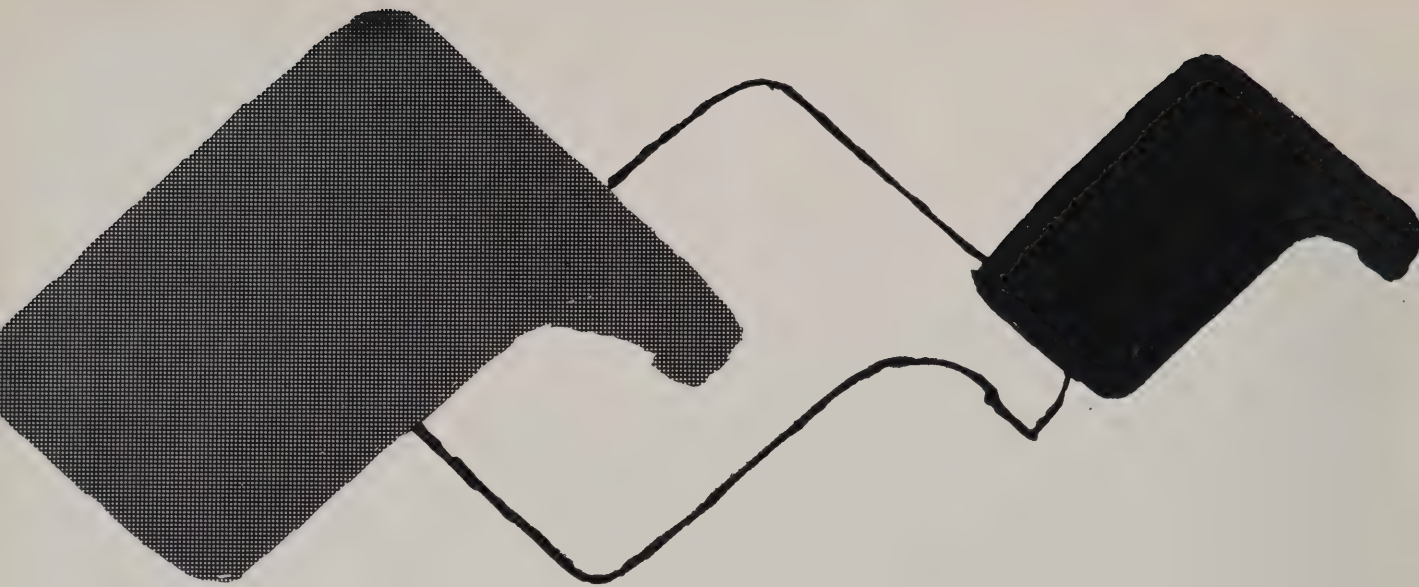
Lloyd Robey

Roy Fox

Robert Lawrence

Melvin Gardner





The Seniors have all the wonderful happenings of their twelfth year to recall as they step out into the world, the last class to graduate from the old school or the first to graduate from the new. Memories of . . . basketball games, a beautiful Prom, the Senior Banquet, required History and Civics classes, early lunch hours, chats before the bell, good friendships.

Here the staff of the Hornet wishes to acknowledge all those who have helped to relive these memorable days . . . our sponsor, Mr. Crawford, for grueling hours of hard work; the men with the cameras from Porter Studios, who obliged us so willingly and patiently; our publishers, H. G. Roebuck and Son, who have been so cooperative in the printing of this edition; the advertisers who have made the annual possible; all who have helped to make this publication of the 1953 Hornet a reality.

To the Seniors: May the years ahead be as eventful as those which you have left behind you. And to all who remain, many happy school years!



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